

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6739**
Masafumi SADAHIRA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_1391A
Serial No. 10/590,359 : Group Art Unit 2121
Filed May 17, 2007 : Examiner Steven R. Garland
APPARATUS CONTROL SYSTEM, : **Mail Stop: AF**
APPARATUS, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE
RECORDING MEDIUM WHERE
APPARATUS CONTROL
PROGRAM IS RECORDED

RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR116
EXPEDITE PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2100

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated November 10, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows: